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INFANT MONITORING SYSTEM AND METHOD

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Continuation □ Divisional application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b), of pending prior application Serial No. 09/500,204 filed February 8, 2000

## for INFANT MONITORING SYSTEM AND METHOD

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference.

- 1. Enclosed is a copy of the prior application as originally filed.
- 2.  $\boxtimes$ Declaration and Power of Attorney:
  - is being filed with this application.
  - was filed in the prior application, and a copy is enclosed herewith.
- 3. A Statement of Status as a Small Entity
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- 4. Ø The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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	NUMBER FILED		NUMBER EXTRA	RATE		FEE		
BASIC FEE (37 C.F.R. 1.16 (a))				\$710		\$710		
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c))	20	- 20 =	0	\$18		\$0		
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	3	- 3 ≈	0	\$80		\$0		
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	6.	⊠	Request for <u>one</u> Month extension of time in Application No. <u>09/500,204</u>							
			filed February 8, 2000 enclosed herewith.							
	7.	⊠	A check in the amount of $$110.00$ is enclosed to cover the extension of time.							
	8.		A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.							
	9.		Cancel in this application original claims of the prior application.							
	10.	⋈	Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: This is a   ■							
			continuation □ division of application Serial No. 09/500,204 filed February 8, 2000							
	11.	⊠	The original application was assigned from the inventors to Hill-Rom Services, Inc.							
	12.		An assignment of the invention is enclosed herewith.							
	13.		A check in the amount of \$\ to cover the recordation fee for the assignment is							
			enclosed.							
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	17.		An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed.							
	18.		A PTO Form 1449 is enclosed with copies of cited references.							
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